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PRIOR APPLICATION:

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Group Art Unit: 1644

CONTINUATION, DIVISIONAL, AND CONTINUATION-IN-PART PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b)

This is a request for filing a patent application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b).

1.	This application is a Continuation Divisional Continuation-in-Part patent application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b), of pending prior application no. 09/068,935, filed on November 23, 1998, of:				
	Inventor(s): David PASCUAL et al.				
	For:	THERAPEUTIC AND DIAGNOS OF MICROBIAL INFECTIONS	TIC AGENTS FOR THE TREATMENT		
2.	The pa	apers enclosed are as follows:	BEST AVAILABLE COPY		
	92	Page(s) of specification including			
	92 10 1 5 1	Page(s) of claims	,		
	<u>1</u>	Page of abstract			
	5	Sheet(s) of drawings containing	<u>2</u> Figures		
	_1	1 Other: Request to Transfer Sequence Listing with a paper copy			
		of sequence listing.	•		

3.	Amendments		
	For continuation and divisional applications:		
	Cancel in this application original claims in the enclosed copy of prior application before calculating the filing fee. [At least one original claim must be retained for filing purposes.]		
		A preliminary amendment is enclosed. (Claims added by this amendment have been properly numbered consecutively beginning with the number next following the highest numbered original claim in the prior application.)	
4. Oath or Declaration			
	For continuation or divisional applications:		
	\boxtimes	A newly executed (original or copy) oath or declaration is enclosed.	
		A copy of an oath or declaration from a prior application is enclosed under 37 C.F.R. § 1.63(d). The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied is considered as part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.	
enclose	ed.	A signed statement deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application is	
	For continuation-in-part applications:		
		A newly executed (original or copy) oath or declaration is enclosed.	
		An oath or declaration is not enclosed. This application is being filed under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(f). Applicant(s) await notification from the Patent and Trademark Office of the time set for filing the declaration and paying the filing fees.	
interr		y - foreign applications under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or § 365(b) or PCT tional applications under 35 U.S.C. § 365(a) designating at least one country other e U.S.	
		Priority of the following foreign application(s) is/are claimed:	

		Country	Application No.	Filed
	Certif	ied copy(ies):	is/are attached. will follow. was/were filed in prior U.S. Ap	plication No on
6.	Assign	Assignment		
For continuation or divisional applications:				
		November 19, 20	tion is assigned of record to Mon 02 at Reel/Frame 013467/0060 a il 2, 1999 at Reel/Frame 9859/0	and Ligocyte Pharmaceuticals,
		An assignment of the invention to an PTO Form-1595, Recordation Form Cover Sheet, are enclosed.		
	For continuation-in-part applications:			
		_	the invention toRecordation Form Cover Sheet,	

7. Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. § 1.16)

	Number Filed	Number Extra	at Rate of	Basic Fee Utility \$770.00
			BASIC FE	E
Fotal Claims (37 C.F.R. §1.16(c))	26 - 20 =	6	18.00	108.0
Independent Claims (37 C.F.R. §1.16(b))	1 - 3 =	0	88.00	
Multiple dependent claim	(s), if any (37 C.F.R. §1	.16(d))	290.00	
			SUB-TOTAL	878.00
		Reduction by 1/2 for fi	ling by a small enti	439.00
		TOT	AL FILING FEE	\$439.00

8.	Fee Payment			
		Not Enclosed. NO FEE IS BEING PAID BY CHECK OR DEPOSIT ACCOUNT AT THIS TIME. This application is being filed under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.53(f). Applicant(s) await notification from the Patent and Trademark Office of the time set for filing the Declaration and paying the filing fees.		
	\boxtimes	Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-0310 in the amount of \$439.00 representing the basic filing fee.		
9.	Small entity status			
	\boxtimes	Applicant(s) hereby assert(s) small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.		
practitioners of Morgan, Lewis & Bockius L provided below to prosecute this application		The power of attorney in the prior application is to at least one of the registered practitioners of Morgan, Lewis & Bockius LLP included in the Customer Number provided below to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith, and all correspondence shall be addressed to that Customer Number.		
		Please address all correspondence to Morgan, Lewis & Bockius LLP at Customer Number: 009629		
11.		Recognize as associate attorney (name, address, and registration no.)		

- 12. PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME. A Petition for Extension of Time is being filed concurrently herewith in the parent application no. 09/068,935, filed November 23, 1998, for the purpose of maintaining copendency between the prior application and the present application.
- EXCEPT for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. § 1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R. §' 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310. This paragraph is intended to be an CONSTRUCTIVE PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(3).
- 14. Additional papers enclosed:

\boxtimes	Information Disclosure Statement
\boxtimes	Form PTO-1449
ñ	Declaration of Biological Deposit
一	Submission of "Sequence Listing", computer readable copy and/or amendment
_	pertaining thereto for biotechnology invention containing nucleotide and/or amino
	acid sequence.

Respectfully submitted,

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